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and

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(Verdi)

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Guest Artistes

Ines Bardini, Silvana Bazzoni, Ornella Jachetti, Maria Teresa Mandalari, Licia Maragno, Ofelia di Marco, Anna Moffo, Luciana Palombi, Margherita Rinaldi, Umberto Borsò, Sergio Feliciani, Antonio Galiè, Loris Gambelli, Salvatore Gioia, Umberto Jacoboni, Carlo Meliciani, Giorgio Onesti, Attilio d'Orazi, Afro Poli, Leo Pudis, Camillo Righini, Regolo Romani, Renzo Scorsoni, Paolo Silveri, Ernesto Vezzosi.

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Thursday and Saturday, April 16 and 18; Tuesday and Saturday, April 21 and 25, at 7.45 p.m.

OTELLO

(Giuseppe Verdi)

(By arrangement with G. RICORDI & CO., London)

Text by ARRIGO BOITO, after the play by SHAKESPEARE

First produced: La Scala, Milan, 5th February, 1887.

Dramatis Personae:

Otello (a Moorish General in the Venetian Service) Paolo Silveri Jago (his Lieutenant) Afro Poli Desdemona (Wife to Otello) - - Ofelia di Marco Maria Teresa Mandalari Emilia (Wife to Iago) -Cassio (Lieutenant to Otello) -Sergio Feliciani Umberto Jacoboni Ludovico (a Venetian Courtier) Roderigo (a Venetian Courtier) - Brendan Cavanagh Giorgio Onesti Esnesto Montano (former Governor of Cyprus) Camillo Righini A Herald

Soldiers, Sailors, Citzens, Servants.

Conductor: FRANCO PATANE

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OTELLO

(Giuseppe Verdi)

Time: 15th Century Place: Cyprus

ACT I: AN OPEN SQUARE AT CYPRUS

ACT II: A ROOM IN OTELLO'S PALACE

ACT III: A ROOM IN THE PALACE

ACT IV: DESDEMONA'S BED-CHAMBER

Dancers in Act I—Eistir O Brolchain, Joan Wilson. Of the National Ballet.

Choreography by PATRICIA RYAN, Ballet Mistress of the National Ballet School.

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